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PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR COUNTRY CLUB AND NEW TUNNEL

California-Spanish Type of Architecture Carried Out in Club Building

Work has been progressing very rapidly on the proposed new Saint Mary's Country Club that will soon adorn the rolling hills directly opposite the campus, to the westward.

The plans for an 18-hole golf course, an artistic clubhouse and major improvements for 10,000 acres of land in Moraga Valley, have been drawn up and perfected by E. J. Fitzpatrick of Oakland, and William Laurence, an engineering expert of San Francisco.

Work to Commence Soon

The actual work on the property will commence as soon as boring has been started on the new Moraga tunnel, which will shorten by five miles the distance from Moraga to Oakland.

Due to the efforts of Fitzpatrick, a franchise has been granted for the tunnel, which will be 2800 feet in length, at the northern end of Park Boulevard in Oakland. It will be operated on a toll basis, until such time as it will be taken over by the state, to be operated as a free thoroughfare.

Will Be Practical

Surveys have been taken of the number of cars passing through the present tunnel and it has been found that an average in excess of 638,000 vehicles use the tunnel annually. From these figures it is computed that a toll tunnel will pay for itself in a short time, and can then be used on a free basis.

The style of architecture to be carried out in all of the club buildings is that of the California-Spanish type, so well carried out in our own buildings.

No Grade Crossings

Roads will be paved in and around Moraga, and of particular interest is the new 100 foot paved highway that will follow the tracks of the "Short Line" from Moraga to the school. There will be no grade crossings on this artery—all crossings will be made under the tracks.

Memberships in the club will be restricted to 400, at $1000 each. Alumni of Saint Mary's will be given the first chance to purchase these memberships. Reputable citizens of the Bay cities will then be invited to join the club.

Club for Men and Women

Members will have a proprietary interest in the entire project, and will receive a share of any profit derived

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GAEL CLOG WILL AID NEW ANNUAL

The Junior class will be hosts at a dance to be given at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley, Friday evening, February 8.

The dance is to be known as the "Gael Clog" and will be a benefit dance, the proceeds of which will go toward defraying expenses of the Gael Annual.

Bill Hayes Is Chairman

Bill Hayes, versatile Junior, is the chairman of a committee composed of Pierovitch, Seghetti, Sperbeck and Barton. The tickets are to be $1 a couple. The entire Junior class has pledged itself to at least one ticket a member, and it is expected that the rest of the student body will cooperate.

The best orchestra obtainable will be procured and a separate ballroom has been reserved. If judged by past performances, the dance is certain to be a success. The Juniors, one of the most active classes in the College, have built for themselves an enviable record as entertainers extraordinary, and it is with anticipation that we await their latest endeavor.

St. Mary's Glee Club May Aid Mills College

Last Year's Collaboration in the "Mikado" a Success

The Saint Mary's Glee Club may cooperate with the Mills College Music Organization in presenting an operetta some time this spring.

Professor John J. Fuery, director of the Saint Mary's Glee Club, is ill at present and no definite plans have been made. It is not known how soon he will be able to take over the task of coaching the club, and a great deal depends on his return.

Took Part in "Mikado" Last Year

Last year the Glee Club took a very active part in "The Mikado," an operetta produced by the Mills College Players, and were quite successful, as corroborated by the present invitation which has been extended to them. The Glee Club this year is made up almost entirely of non-resident students. Norval King was the organizer last year and he is undertaking the present duties of arrangement that will have to be made if the club is to accept the invitation.

ST. IGNATIUS TO SEND OUT STRONG DEBATING TEAM

St. Ignatius forensic activities during the spring semester will include three intercollegiate debates, two intramural events, and participation in the national oratorical contest. This program, the most extensive in years for Ignatian speakers, was announced Tuesday by W. B. Spohn, manager of forensics at that college.

Debate Santa Clara, Northwestern

Varsity debates will be held with Santa Clara and Northwestern, and a freshman team will meet the Stanford frosh. The two intramural events will be the annual contest in oratory for the Y. M. I. medal and the annual undergraduate debate for the McKinley medal. All events will be held in the Ignatian auditorium this season.

Subjects Not Named

Questions for the various debates, both intercollegiate and intramural, have not been decided by the council, but are to be published in the near future. Speakers in the Y. M. I. contest are to choose their own subjects, while those competing for the right to represent St. Ignatius in the nationals are to treat of the Constitution of the United States and its framers.

CATHOLIC EDITOR VISITS COAST

Michael Williams, editor of The Commonweal, will complete his lecture tour of Catholic organizations of Central and Northern California by delivering two more lectures.

He is to address the Philathedia Society (Council of Catholic Women) Monday afternoon, July 28, and he will speak at the annual banquet of the Laymen's Retreat Association, which is to be given at the Palace Hotel, Tuesday evening, January 29.

Since his arrival in San Francisco last week, Mr. Williams has spoken before the archdiocesan division of the National Council of Catholic Women, the Catholic Truth Society, the Philathedia Society, the Catholic Students' Club of Stanford University, and the Santa Clara student body.

Besides being a prominent lecturer and the editor of The Commonweal, Mr. Williams is also an essayist and an author. He has written a very interesting book of his life, called "High Romance," in which he tells the story of his conversion. Another feature of the book is a vivid description of the San Francisco earthquake and fire.

Alumni homecoming, February 24.

BASEBALL FIELD CONSTRUCTED ON FOOTBALL GREEN

Baseball Practice Will Start Soon; Temporary Stands To Be Erected

That baseball will soon be in full swing may be gathered from the fact that one day last week Mr. Madigan and several members of the engineering department were seen surveying the football field preparatory to laying out the temporary baseball diamond for this season.

The diamond is to be placed in the far corner of the football field with the third base foul line running parallel to the road and the first base line parallel to the vegetable gardens. After several surveys this was decided as the best location, as it gave the largest playing field and would allow the players the least trouble from the sun.

Sand Covered Infield

The infield will be covered with a layer of sand in the manner of the old diamond in Oakland. The outfield will be mostly the turf of the present football field.

Temporary bleachers will be erected along the third base line, while permanent football bleachers will be erected along the first base line to take care of the seating of the spectators at this year's baseball games and future football games.

After this year the baseball teams will play on their permanent diamonds west of the residence halls on which the newly laid loam is being allowed to settle.

Football Field to Be Re-turfed

As soon as baseball season is over the football field will be re-turfed in preparation for next year, when it is to be used only for games, while practice will be held on the two fields adjacent to the present gridiron.

Basketball Uppers Not to Be Changed

"The green jersey is here to stay—for the season at least," was the emphatic answer of Graduate Manager Louis Le Fevre when asked if there was any possibility of the Gael hoopsters changing their jerseys to blue.

Players Satisfied

"Why all the talk about the basketball team wearing green instead of the school colors?" he continued. "During football season nothing is said of the football team wearing blue jerseys with white numbers, which certainly are not Saint Mary's colors. As far as the team itself is concerned, everyone, as far as I know, is satisfied with the present outfit, as it not only makes a better mark on

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Survey of New Registration Reveals Steady Increase

According to the biennial survey published by the Department of Education of the National Catholic Welfare Council, the total enrollment of students in all Catholic colleges and universities for the academic year of 1928 was 86,306. This figure represents an increase of 11,457 students, or more than 15 per cent, over the enrollment of schools of higher learning in 1926, the last previous year surveyed by the department, at which time a total of 74,849 students was reported.

Saint Mary's Increase Noted

Keeping in line with the tremendous growth of Catholic educational institutions of the United States, Saint Mary's College has shown a marked gain in all departments. This semester there has been an increase of 8.42 per cent in the enrollment. Approximately 94.5 per cent of last semester's students are re-registered for the spring semester. Of the newly registered students, 33⅓ per cent of them are boarders. Since 1922 the curve illustrating the growth of the College indicates that the registration will be 1275 in 1931, making Saint Mary's one of the largest Catholic colleges of the country.

Scholarship Rating High

The entrance requirements in scholarship are in conformity with that of other representative national educational societies, including the Catholic Educational Association, the Northwest Association of Secondary and Higher Schools, and the Association of American Colleges.

Growth in Other Colleges Cited

A striking feature of the survey is the phenomenal growth, covering a two-year period, reported by Saint John's College, Brooklyn, N. Y. In 1926, Saint John's reported a total enrollment of 2388 students, and in 1928 a total of 4,699. Fordham University of New York City is the largest of all Catholic institutions of higher learning, having a total registration of 7174. The University of Notre Dame, Indiana, ranks fifth in size with 3,947 students. It is interesting to note that in 1905 Notre Dame had but 210 students, a small group in comparison to the student body of today.

RULES ANNOUNCED FOR NATIONAL ORATORICAL MEET

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The National Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest on the Constitution, which has been conducted for the past four years by the Better America Federation of California, will be continued this year, according to an announcement today at contest headquarters, 1217 National Press Building, Washington.

The prizes will be the same as in previous years, namely $500 in cash, divided among the seven national finalists in the following amounts: First place $1500, second $1000, third $750, fourth $550, fifth $450, sixth $400 and seventh $350. The national finals will be held in Los Angeles on June 20.

Any bona fide undergraduate student in any university or college in the United States is eligible. The orations, which must not require more than ten minutes for delivery, must be on one of the following subjects: The Constitution, Washington and the Constitution, Hamilton and the Constitution, Jefferson and the Constitution, Marshall and the Constitution, Franklin and the Constitution, Madison and the Constitution, Webster and the Constitution, and Lincoln and the Constitution.

The nation is divided into seven re-

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SENIORS GIVEN HIGHEST RATING ON HONOR LIST

In the compilation of the honor roll for the first semester, released during the week from the Dean's office, a new system has this year been adopted. Two separate lists have been issued; the first comprises those students who have won distinctive honors by maintaining a general average of at least 2.5 grade points per unit, while the second list includes all who have averaged between 2 and 2.5 grade points per unit, or a general average of B.

College Standing High

According to the Dean the percentage of students with high scholastic standing for the last semester is the largest in the history of Saint Mary's. Over 20 per cent of the student body averaged B or better during the past semester.

Seniors' Ranking Best

The senior class ranks first in number of men found on the general honor list, placing 27½ per cent of its members among the chosen few. The much-maligned frosh made an exceptionally good showing to be placed second in scholastic rating, with over 21 per cent of the class on the honor list.

Sophomores Trail

Juniors are third with 18 per cent, while the sophs bring up the rear with only 14½ per cent of their ranks on the roll. Class ratings in regard to the distinctive honor lists are practicaly the same, the sophomores and juniors changing places in the second division.

Brightness Distributed

Figures show that the most brilliant scholars of the school are divided quite evenly among the four classes. The highest individual rating for the last semester was made by Leonard Thomas of the junior class. Thomas achieved a general average of 2.89 grade points per unit, where 3 would have meant a rating of A for every subject. Close on the heels of Thomas was Arthur Sherry, upholding the honors for the graduating class with a rating of 2.87 grade points per unit. Two freshmen, William Mead and Ralph Rogers, were tied for third place with 2.84 grade points per unit, while fourth place went to Augustus O'Farrell of the sophomores, who scored an average of 2.82 grade points per unit.

Distinctive Honor Roll

The following is the distinctive honor roll, composed of the students having a general average of 2.5 grade points in all their subjects:

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Upper Classmen Organize to Carry Out Old Traditions

Shortly after noon last Monday a general mobilization of upper classmen was called in the co-op store. There began an undercurrent of whispers as the crowd grew. The mob had decided to enforce the law; to lay hands on its violators and lynch them collegiately if necessary.

One hundred strong, they formed a semi-circle around the counter at Dev's where a freshman was sipping a milkshake through a cute little moustache innocent of the impending calamity that hovered over the place like a war time zeppelin.

As he arose and turned to leave the leader approached him saying, "We would like to see you outside for a few moments."

Violated Tradition

The juniors and seniors were very proud of the fact that tradition has reserved for them exclusively the wearing of the moustache. Here was a freshman stepping on forbidden soil. He must pay the penalty.

Once outside the students formed a circle around the defendant. He was found guilty and presented with a very dull old "Gillette" and ordered to remove the left side of his decoration. Taking the weapon as honorably as Socrates took his hemlock, he applied it. It refused to cut and instead rather painfully pulled a few of the hairs out.

However, the students became peeved at his slowness. Seizing him, they stretched him full length upon the cold ground and performed the operation in a somewhat careless manner. Being still unsatisfactory, he was taken to the barber shop, where it was completed.

Second Offender

A sophomore, the second victim, was found laboring in the Collegian offices. The procedure in this case was less elaborate. Le Page's paste was used for lather and he was dealt with in that cold, ruthless way peculiar to collegiate rule.

SENIOR CHARGES STUDENT BODY IS INEFFICIENT

Representation Plans Meets Favor in First Semester Student Gathering

The most important suggestion before the students at the first student body meeting of the term, held in the Arts and Letters building on Thursday, January 24, was the proposal of a Student Welfare Council to be elected by members of all the classes of the school. This suggestion was made by Arthur Sherry, who said in part:

"Since the present student body government does not work, we can't blame anyone but ourselves. I suggest that we reform the constitution so that the meetings will be held in an intelligible manner. A student welfare council system, as practiced by a good many schools throughout the country, is an excellent plan of carrying on the work of student government. This work is simplified by entrusting to the care of a board, composed of members representing all organizations of the College, the most important matters concerning the affairs of the school. Only one or two meetings of the entire student body during the semester would, therefore, be necessary."

Committee of Investigation Appointed

Upon completion of this proposal, President Jack Merrick appointed a committee to investigate the plan of a student welfare council. Arthur Sherry '29 was made chairman, and H. Bertain '29, W. Pistochini '29 and E. Smiddy '30 were appointed as members to assist him.

Vice President Elected

Because Sig Lien, newly elected vice president of the student body, was forced to leave school, it was necessary to elect a new vice president. Joseph Rooney '29 was unanimously chosen for the office. His sterling character and interest in the activities of the school make him a capable man for the position.

Suggestions Made

Considerable spirit and interest was shown by the students attending the meeting, and several good suggestions were made. To build a huge "M" on the hill in back of the chapel was proposed.

As spokesman for the Freshman class, President Owen Duffy promised the support of the first year men, saying in part: "The Freshmen have shown their school spirit by building the biggest bonfire in the history of Saint Mary's, and it is expected, with their help, the big "M" will become a reality."

Reasons for Lack of Spirit Given

Jack Merrick attributed the wane in student body spirit to lack of a suitable meeting place. Inclement weather has prevented meetings from being held out of doors. In closing, he asked the students for their support at the meetings, and expressed hope that at the next assembly the same interest will be shown.

The unusual is what succeeds. A wicked left is effective only because most men are right-handed.

McANDREWS TO ASSIST IN DEAN'S OFFICE

Robert McAndrews, a member of this year's Freshman class, has recently been selected by the Dean, Brother Ralph, to assist Alfred Buxton at his duties of recorder at the Dean's office.

It has been rumored about the halls that Buxton is leaving this new college of ours to seek his fortune elsewhere, and hence Brother Ralph has seen fit to appoint a successor, or, rather, an assistant, to the position now being held by Buxton. Whether this rumor is gossip, the future alone will tell, but nevertheless we, like Brother Ralph, will be sorry to see such a man as Buxton leave.

ALUMNI PROGRAM FOR EDUCATION IS OUTLINED

In the year 1913 a group of men actively engaged in alumni work met at Ohio State University and formed the Association of Alumni Secretaries. The organization was formed as a result of the belief that the exchange of ideas and the comparison of the alumni problems of the individual colleges would do much to forward the alumni activity of all of the colleges. This, in brief, is the history of the American Alumni Council, the name having been changed in 1927.

On Saturday, January 19, at the University of Southern California, a meeting of District IX of the American Alumni Council was held. The membership of District IX is made up of the universities and colleges in the states of California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona and New Mexico. The purpose of these district meetings of the council is to discuss the problems peculiar to the members in the district as well as to aid the smaller colleges in the building of their alumni organizations.

At the U. S. C. conference a lengthy discussion was held on the subject "Education After Graduation." It was felt that a large number of alumni lost interest in their college because the alumnus too often discontinued all educational pursuits immediately after graduation. Other topics of discussion dealt with the problems of the alumni fund, class organization, membership, magazines, and the problems particular to the small college alumni bodies.

In bringing the district conference of the American Alumni Council to Saint Mary's next year, it is felt that a great amount of good will come to Saint Mary's and to the other smaller colleges in the district.

Reverend Richard Curtis '13

Reverend Richard Curtis '13, assistant pastor of St. Francis de Sales Church in Oakland, was on the campus this week. Father Curtis was greatly impressed by the beauty of the chapel and the altar. As an undergraduate, Father Curtis was a member of the Collegian staff and he still retains a very deep interest in the literary activities of the students of Saint Mary's.

Joseph O'Connor '16

We have but recently learned that Joseph O'Connor '16, president of the Los Angeles unit of the Alumni, has embarked on the sea of matrimony. Joe was married to Mary Wilson at St. Vincent's church, Los Angeles, in November. Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor spent their moneymoon in Honolulu. They are now making their home in Los Angeles, where O'Connor is a member of the firm of Cunningham and O'Connor, leading Los Angeles undertakers. As an undergraduate, Joe was a member of the varsity basketball team. To Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor the Alumni Association extends hearty congratulations.

"Larry" Doyle '26

"Larry" Doyle '26, former tennis captain at Saint Mary's and now a resident of Fresno, visited the campus on January 20. Larry was accompanied by Mrs. Doyle, As an undergraduate Doyle was active in the doings of the Associated Students.

SISTER OF ALTAR DONOR DEAD

Miss Margaret Doran, sister of Mary Doran and Father Doran of San Francisco, died last week, and a requiem high mass was offered for her soul in the College Chapel last Friday morning.

The deceased woman's sister and brother were the donors of the altar in the new Chapel. At the mass which was said for her departed spirit, all the resident students were present.

Rev. Father Doran, brother of the deceased woman and donor of the new Chapel's altar, once attended at the old Saint Mary's College when it was located on Broadway in Oakland. He was a member of, and graduated with, the class of '79.

ST. MARY'S HOST TO ALUMNI ASS'N

The report that Saint Mary's College is to be host to the regional conference of the American Association of Alumni in 1930 was confirmed by John D. McKee, secretary of the National Alumni Association. Last year the conference was held at the University of California, while this year's meet, concluded last week, was conducted at the University of Southern California.

Work Outlined

According to McKee, the work of the national alumni organization, of which the Alumni Association of Saint Mary's College is a member, is mainly towards the establishment of alumni educational activities.

"It must be understood, however," said McKee, "that the national alumni educational program is distinctly not in the nature of extension courses. The plan has been tried and proven successful at the University of Michigan where an alumni college is being conducted along the lines outlined by the Association. Employment, alumni publications and all those alumni activities which might be called 'alumni technique,' are part of the work which was developed and discussed at the conference in Los Angeles last week."

Athletics

Concerning the question of alumni interference in intercollegiate athletics, the association secretary was emphatic in saying that alumni bodies should refrain absolutely from any control. Any official interference, he stated, should not be tolerated; the action of individual members cannot be taken as an indication of the organization's policy.

Alumni Secretary

McKee was accompanied on his visit to the College by Timothy J. Canty '23, secretary of the Saint Mary's Alumni Association. Canty was present and spoke at the recently held regional conference on the subject "Alumni Problems of the Small College."

Membership in the American Alumni Association is restricted to alumni secretaries and alumni publication editors. The local regional conference includes most of the colleges and universities on the Pacific Coast. The national convention will be held this summer in Toronto, Canada, at the University of Toronto.

Alumni homecoming, February 24.

Los Quijotanos Holds Get-Together Meeting

A good time was had by all. So said Los Quijotanos after the semi-annual initiation and subsequent banquet held last Thursday.

The afternoon was devoted to putting the members-to-be through their paces. When this ritual had been completed, everyone sought a shower and removed the evidences of the afternoon's work that he might be presentable, at least, at the banquet which was to follow.

Then, in a group, Los Quijotanos repaired to the Florence Cafe in Oakland and wrapped themseles arvound a very delicious chicken dinner. Speeches by everyone were the concluding feature of the evening.

The new members of the club are Bill Hayes of the junior class; Chiles, Connolly, Coyle and McGill of the sophomore class, and Christie, Costella, Flanagan, Mazzoni, McAnaney and Phil Murphy of the freshman class.

President Schweinitzer, assisted by Brother Edward and Professor Feeny, presided over both the initiation and the banquet.

Members are reminded that there will be a meeting of the club next Tuesday afternoon in the clubrooms in West Hall.

Economics Association

The Economics Association held a meeting last Wednesday night and passed upon the names of several prospective members. Several outstanding students of economics found favor with the members and will be given an opportunity of joining the organization.

Besides the voting in of the neophytes, general business and social activities for the coming year were discussed, and a program was made for the rest of the semester.

The usual discussion between the radicals and Professor Silvermaster followed the meeting and continued far into the night.

COUNTRY CLUB

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from the sale of any of the improved real estate in the 01,000 acres.

The clubhouse, from the veranda of which one will get a magnificent view of the campus, has been planned to accommodate women as well as men. There will be large social rooms, card rooms, locker rooms, a restaurant and all the other requirements necessary to make the out-of-town club up to date.

Spanish Type Tunnel Entrance

The tunnel, which will be a masterpiece of modern engineering methods, will have the best ventilating and lighting systems conceivable. At each end of the bore will be erected portals that will carry out the impressive style of Spanish architecture common to the college.

The site of the present station in Moraga will be moved to the opposite corner of the cross-roads and a new structure will be erected.

Airport Chosen

A public park has been planned, along with an airport site, selected by prominent local aviators; a school site, and a beautifying central plaza is designed for the main street.

There are rigid restriticons covering the property adjoining the main thoroughfare which will keep sandwich "shacks" or any other unsightly structures from locating there and detracting from the beauty of the surroundings.

BAND TO APPEAR IN S. F. CONCERT

The Saint Mary's College Band, eighty pieces strong, is preparing to give a concert in the Knights of Columbus hall in San Francisco, as well as a local rendition at Oakland, in the very near future. It is to furnish the music for a play which is to be a matinee and evening performance, given by the Saint Mary's College High School Players.

Elaborate preparations for this musical presentation are under way, headed by the able direction of Professor Fuery, instructor of music. All indications point to a wonderful exhibition of talent. The old members of the band are giving all their available time in order to perfect their art, while those who have signed up since the opening of the new semester are fitting themselves for the task.

Considering the fact that the past semester was spent without being able to use any definitely set period of time for practice other than the last half of the noon hour, Professor Fuery feels greatly enthused over the accomplishments of the band, the individual interest taken in it and the excellent standard set by its members.

Though the time for practice was limited, the study of music was not held to one type but included both popular and classical. In this way it was possible to form not only a band but also an orchestra and glee club. A great deal of interest has been centered in these latter two. The orchestra has found many advocates of popular music and shows promise of being an active body this semester.

After some difficulty the glee club was organized and succeeded in getting well under way. Then there followed a slight decline in its activities due to the illness of the instructor. However, it has resumed practice and judging from the interest of its members and speedy growth it is going to be "quite the thing" about the school.

ORATORICAL MEET

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gions for the purposes of the contest. The colleges in each region compete among themselves, generally by states, to determine the finalists for each region. The regional finalists compete late in May to determine the one speaker from each region who is to have a place in the national finals. A place in the national finals automatically carries with it an award ranging from $350 to $1500, according to the ratings given the different national finalists.

Alumni homecoming, February 24.

Charlemagne Club Plans Initiation

At the last meeting of the Charlemagne Club, the members voted upon the names of eighteen French and German students who will be afforded the opportunity of joining this society.

All those who passed the censorship of the society are students who have shown great interest in things German or French. It is a distinct honor to any student so inclined to be able to join the Charlemagne Club, as this organization does much more in increasing the knowledge of students in these fields than is possible in the ordinary school curriculum.

Each meeting brings some discussions of literary men of these two countries, as well as occasional addresses by well informed members of the faculty.

Social functions are also sponsored by the Charlemagne Club, in the form of picnics and informal dinners, for which the organization has become justly famous.

HONOR ROLL

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Seniors—James Drury, Joseph Firpo, Arthur Hauck, Arthur Sherry.

Juniors—Bernard Dobbins, Clarence Hamilton, Paul Meyer, Edward Smiddy, Leonard Thomas.

Sophomores—Harold Dobbins, Arno Gustavson, John Jewell, Henry Mino, Augustus O'Farrell.

Freshmen—John Balluff, Robert Bill, Edward Cone, A. de la Guardia, John Healy, Brother Hilary, William Mead, Edmund Moss, Robert McAndrews, Warren Palmer, Ralph Rogers, Robert Schmidt.

Also-Rans Win Distinction

The following is the honor roll composed of students having a general average of at least 2 grade points per unit for all subjects:

Seniors—Harry Bertain, Edward Dennis, Henry Driscoll, Walter Pistochini, James Sinnott, Jack Smith, Eugene Vassar.

Juniors: Jack Dewan, Adrian Gilbert, William Gough, William Johnston, Jack Maatta, Tyrrell Martinez, Edward McMahon, James O'Brien, Angelo Penitenti, Melvin Pierovich.

Sophomores—E. Bold, Frank Brady, Russell Campbell, John Chiles, Neil Clark, Joseph Clause, James Dempsep, Edwin Furtado, Melvin Hoyt, Dudley Hughes, Gunter Kohlman, Jack Lindow, Ferdinand Locke, James McDermott, Will Murphy, Jake Myers Milton Connors, George O'Keefe, Joseph Neary, John Palmer, Jack Phillips, Richard Seely, Warner Wood.

Freshmen—Brother Augustine, Elmer Bartelsen, Brother Brendan, Irwin Cassidy, William Chandler, William Chow, Charles Christie, John Friedman, William Holmes, Brother Ignatius, Emmet Kilpatrick, John Leary, Patrick Leonard, Rudolph Matzke, Tim Mazzoni, Harvey Milligan, Carl Mortenson, Frank McGorty, Lionel Ormsby, Gordon Peters, William Pinheiro, Edward Rice, Joseph Shally, Floyd Turner, Victor Valla, John Wison, Henry Cleary, Thomas Curran, Brother Edmund, Jack Fagan, Rollin Fountain, Harry Garretsee, Edward Goggin, Maurice Graves.

"SYNTHETIC SIN" TO PLAY AT GRAND LAKE

See and hear will be the policy of Grand Lake Theatre beginning Saturday, January 26, when Colleen Moore comes to the talking screen in her latest and by far the funniest picture that this star has yet made, "Synthetic Sin."

Yes, poor Colleen has an awful time of it. She must have "experience," and so she concocts some synthetic sin, all because she must get some experience in order to become a stage star—but what she finally gets is a hubsand.

And besides several short subjects that include the Fox Movietone News and a Vitaphone act, Milt Franklyn, the master musician, will lead his marvelous band through several jazz and classical numbers.

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PACIFIC TIGERS NOSED OUT IN CLOSE GAME ON HOME COURT

Tazer, Sears and Ebding Star for Winners; Disbrow, Pacific Center, Plays Great Game But Unable to Put Over Victory

The Gael basketball team journeyed to Stockton last Saturday to play the second game of a series with the College of Pacific quintet, and emerged from a tremendous battle victorious, 24 to 22.

The game was one of three to be played on the same court that night, and it may be easily said that the college game alone furnished the spectators with all the worth that they had coming for their money.

From the very commencement of the game it was easy to see that it was going to be a mighty tough battle for both teams and the least superiority of one would prove the deciding factor for a win over the other. First one team would be ahead, then the other would forge up to overcome the other's lead and gain the advantage. The spectators were nearly frantic and the supporters of the respective teams were unable to speak at all following the game.

At half time the teams were even, and at the opening of the second period Saint Mary's forged slightly to the lead and maintained it for the most part of the half.

It was here that the redoubtable Tazer showed his marvelous playing ability by running up a total of seventeen points in a little over half time. A peculiar feature of the game was that Tazer won the game by a long shot after he had four personal fouls called on him. However, the error was not discovered and was not called by the scorers until after the two points were made, so they held good in spite of the clamor of the crowd.

Another event that nearly added to the heart failure of the Saint Mary's rooters was the unintentional shooting of a basket for the Tiger team by Cal Pitchford of Saint Mary's. During a melee under the basket, Pitchford jumped for the ball and accidentally knocked it in the basket. It was quite a "Riegals" and it was very fortunate for our staunch guard that we came out on top at the end of the game.

If a man has a stiff income he can afford to have a stiff upper lip and a stiff backbone.

FRANKIAN INELIGIBLE

There has been considerable discussion as to whether Ike Frankian would play basketball this year. However, word from the athletic office tells us that Ike has definitely decided not to play.

FROSH BASEBALL PROSPECTS GOOD

The prospects for the frosh baseball team are bright. This is the word that comes to us from the athletic headquarters. Although practice has not been officially inaugurated each evening the first year aspirants to the baseball hall of fame may be seen working out on the football field.

Among the better known frosh turning out for the team the tossers in particular have good reputations. Krum, hailing from Sanger, is the only southpaw on either the varsity or freshman teams. Joe Noonan is another pitcher that comes well recommended and in Jack Tressider, registered from Mariposa, we have one of the best fast ball pitchers ever to enter the College.

Until practice gets under way the team will be more or less of an unknown quantity. In the infield Baird and Tod Mazka will be watched. Turning out for the outfield will be Jack Gardner, Chester and Bill Cagnacci. Ponti, guard on the basketball team, is expected to try out for an outfield job.

Varsity-Y. M. I. Date Is Altered

The date of this game has been changed so the Varsity will meet the improved Y. M. I. team at Kezar January 30. Although the Y. M. I. hasn't played a very hard schedule to date, they defeated the Oakland Y. M. I. and officially beat Stanford. This was not revealed until after the game, due to an error in the scoring.

Coach Frank Needles of the Y. M. I. will probably present a starting lineup consisting mostly of his brother's former St. Ignatius men: Partridge and Conway, forwards; Corey, center, and O'Niel and Nicholas, guards. If Frank Needles' team practices any of the tactics of his brother's team from St. Ignatius, the Varsity will meet a plenty tough outfit.

SAINTS' FROSH BEAT BEAR CUBS

Preston Stars in Flashy Contest; Freshmen Show Improvement

Continuing their splendid showing this season the Saint Mary's freshmen took the California babes into camp to the tune of 17 to 13. Coming from behind at the half the Saints took the lead and held it until the final whistle.

Preston Stars for the Winners

One of the best players on the court was Preston, a guard, who was a pillar of strength on the defense and started many of the plays that resulted in scores for the Saints. Ponti played a consistent game at the other guard. Baird for the winners shared scoring honors with Tiffield of the losers, each scoring 6 points.

Saints' Team Work Wins

Being outweighed and playing a much larger team the young Gaels won by splendid passwork in which each man played his part. Carrying the ball down the court only to lose the ball was the fate of the Cal babes.

Frosh Show Good Reserves

The Saints showed plenty of reserve strength in the game and should keep up their record and continue their string of victories.

Varsity Bus Has Collision with Train

In the three years of service of transporting Saint Mary's teams with the bus, on the eve of the California game, with the varsity and frosh squads aboard, Mac experienced his first casualty, when a San Francisco bound Key Route electric train slightly grazed the rear end of the bus.

After making the usual stop at the train crossing, and seemingly in no hazard, Mac proceeded to cross the tracks of a train which was not visible on account of a street car. Before he was completely across the tracks and seeing that the train was slowly moving towards him, he speeded up, which was the only possible means to avert the accident, and which was accountable for the accident being slight.

According to Mac, the occupants of the rear seats of the bus, and many bystanders, the accident was entirely unavoidable as far as Mac was concerned. As Mac was drawing away from the crowd, C. J. Hammond, vice-president of the First National Bank of Oakland, another witness, volunteered to voice his view of the accident. According to him, Mac did his utmost to get across the track in time, while the motorman practically expended no efforts to stop the train.

Wolf Pack Obtains New Football Coach

George Philbrook has been selected by the faculty and alumni organizations of the University of Nevada as the head football coach during the coming season of 1929.

He will succeed Lawrence T. "Buck" Shaw, who has been the head coach there for a number of years, and has been the man to produce those stubborn little wolves who have given so much trouble to the Far-Western and Pacific Coast Conference teams.

It was in 1914 that Philbrook came into prominence as a football player and later as a coach. Since 1927, he has been the head coach of football and track at the College of Whittier, where phenomenal success of the small college's teams have contributed to his success in the sporting circles and his prominence as a coach.

BEG YOUR PARDON

The sports staff of The Collegian wishes to apologize for a misprint appearing in the last edition concerning the scores of the Saint Mary's-California basketball games.

The correct scores are:

1925—	Saints 23,	California	24
1926—	Saints 10,	California	27
1927—	Saints 14,	California	24
1928—	Saints 28,	California	30

SAINTS' LEAD OVERCOME BY STRONG BEAR TEAM IN LAST FEW MINUTES

Gael Defense Stops Bear Scoring Plays During First Half; Tazer and Ebding High Point Men for Saints; Good Sized Crowd Sees Exciting Game

Playing the most stubborn basketball game of the season, Saint Mary's played California's victorious ball tossers to a standstill throughout the opening part of the game. California's usual halftime rush brought the sorce to a 16 to 16 tie. Returning to the game at the beginning of the second half the Bears piled up a comfortable margin of five points to keep ahead throughout the remainder of the game. It was not the futile efforts of the Saint Mary's quintet that resulted in the final socre of 29 to 24, but Coach "Nibs" Price's team with an excellent last-minute offense.

Tazer Started Scoring

Captain Eddie Tazer started early in the game to set the Gaels in the lead a few minutes after the first center hop. It was Tazer that completely stopped the powerful Bear offense the entire first half of the game.

Berkeley's Bears played a slow and unexciting game the entire first half, whereas the fast passing and brilliant dribbling of the Gaels worked perfectly. Tazer and Ebding at forward were consistently hitting the hoop and putting the leather through.

Perfect Shot by Gaels

"Heinie" Driscoll electrified the stands with a perfect shot from past center and Harry Ebding continued to sink fouls that kept the Gaels in the lead during the opening part of the contest. Stevens of the Bears sank several set-up shots under the hoop after breaking through the strong Saint defense.

Captain Vern Corbin was not playing the usual game that he has played in past contests. Numerous times he took shots only to miss, painfully for the California rooters to see.

Even Score at Half

When the whistle blew for the end of the half the Bears had started their usual rally, and evened the score just in time. The 5000 basketball fans anxiously waited the opening.

Working perfect floor passes, the Gaels continued to gallop, but the sinking of the ball in the hoop seemed to slow down. Clymer and Coffield were playing a tight guarding game in the last half and showed it by the final score.

Saint Mary's rooters showed the old spirit of cheering for the team in victory and defeat, showing that they are proud of the Gael varsity basketball team.

The line-up:

California (29)	FG.	GT.	Tls.
Ten Eyck, forward	2	0	4
Stevens, forward	3	1	7
Corbin, center	3	3	9
Coffield, guard	0	2	2
Gregory, guard	0	1	1
Webber, forward	2	0	4
Clymer, guard	1	0	2

Saint Mary's (24)	FG.	FT.	Tls.
Ebding, forward	1	4	6
Driscoll, forward	0	1	1
Sears, center	2	1	5
Tazer, guard	1	4	6
Pitchford, guard	1	1	3
Mulholland, center	1	1	3

Fred Stennett, football light, is working out with the tossers. Stennett is good at everything he tries, and doubtless if he becomes a pitcher he will be a good one.

Alumni homecoming, February 24.

Saint Mary's Will Meet Athens Club

The Varsity will meet one of its strongest opponents on February 4 at the Oakland Auditorium when it meets the quintet from the Athens Club. The Club has a good lineup which consists mostly of former California stars. They have lost but two games this season, one to California, and the other night were barely nosed out by the Cook Painters, 43-42.

BRONCOS HAVE GOOD CAGE TEAM

By JOE CONNELLY '31

Looking over the Santa Clara basketball team in its game with Stanford, it can be seen that the Broncos have a team that is on a par with any team on the coast. Playing against the Cards minus the services of Jack Gough, star forward, the Broncos were nosed out in a last minute rally, 28 to 27.

Santa Clara's forwards, Sherman Murray and Leahy, played great ball throughout this contest and show promise of doing so for the remainder of the season. Connolly, center, played his same fast game as he exhibited against the Gaels last season.

The Broncos' record is very impressive. Against the San Jose Golds, they emerged victors by a 36 to 21 tally. The same squad turned back the Gaels by 37 to 32. This year's Broncos bear watching.

Man to man there is little difference between the Gaels and the Broncos. The centers, Sears and Connolly, are evenly matched. Tazer is without a doubt the greatest basketball man of either squad. Ebding needs experience in fast company and by the time the annual contest is on us this boy Ebding will be in the "pink."

Driscoll and Pitchford at guards have turned in better games to date than Schuppert and Barsi for the Broncos.

We will be able to tell more about the outcome of the Gael-Bronco series when both teams meet the classy St. Ignatiaus squad, which seems to be the class this year.

What has become of the Saturday night whoopee that was raised last semester in room 112 AL? Since the opening of the Spring semester there has been no attempt to continue these sessions. Doubtless there are many of the boarders that are asking the same question.

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Saints Watch Cook Painters

Following their game with the College of Pacific last Saturday, the Saint Mary's Varsity had an opportunity to watch the Cook Painter boys, National A. A. U. champions, play the Stockton Ramblers. The Cooks won with ease, the final score being 53 to 18.

The Cooks impressed the College team with their wonderful passing attack and showed just why they were A. A. U. champions. Victor Holt, 6 feet 7 inches tall, was the talk of the campus on the Varsity's return. Time after time this great center displayed remarkable shots. "He is the best center I ever saw in action," Heine Driscoll said.

The Cooks will defend their championship this year in Kansas City, Mo., and are favored to again cop the crown, though this year's tourney promises to be the best ever held by the A. A. U.

HUSKY COACH'S OUSTER HALTED

Interest in coast collegiate circles has been brought to the boiling point by the recent action of the University of Washington student body in dismissing Coach Bagshaw, Husky coach. Coaches have ever borne the brunt of alumni abuse and unjust criticism, but it is with more than passing interest that we note that, strangely Coach Bagshaw has met his chief opponent in the students of the university. If there has been pressure upon the alumni's part we have not heard of it.

Student Body Governs

Student body government at the University of Washington is not only recognized but practiced, and there seems to be little doubt in the minds of most people but that Bagshaw is through. Gratitude in a university is short lived, owing to its transient population, and there are few that terest we note that, strangely enough, sons ago "Baggy" turned out a team that brought to the school a championship. Having tasted the fruit of success the students now want nothing but winning teams. Defeat on the water has not helped matters, and in the language of the day the Washington boys "couldn't stand prosperity." Bagshaw's relations with the student body, even in victory, have never been more than casual.

The members of the team, with one exception, have defended their coach. To the casual observer this is a significant fact. Perhaps the fault may not be laid altogether at the feet of Bagshaw, and surely those who have been intimately connected with the man and his tactics are in a far better position to judge than the ordinary layman. The condition might be described as one of harmony in the athletic ranks and of turmoil in the student body. Bagshaw is about to suffer the penalty of not turning out championship teams consistently.

Official action will be taken at a meeting of the board of regents. Although it is felt that the board will not have any other recourse than to back the action of the students, it has been hinted that Bagshaw may be retained in another capacity than that of head football coach. Quoting from a dispatch to the Daily Californian, "President Spencer is expected to back up the board's decision. This represents the opinion of the student body."

DANCE IS BEING PLANNED SOON BY SOPHOMORES

At the meeting of the sophomore class on Wednesday, it was decided to hold a semi-formal dance immediately after Lent. It was also decided that the affair should be held on this side of the bay, in or in the near vicinity of "our city" Oakland.

The details of the affair have been left to the judgment of a committee appointed by President Joe Connolly. It is composed of Kevin McGettigan, Eltredge Bold, James Coakley, Roy Peters and John Chiles. At a meeting of the class to be held next Tuesday, January 29, all of the ways and means are to be submitted by this group.

There was much discussion as to whether the affair should be formal or not, but after several heated arguments pro and con a compromise was reached by the suggestion of Frank Murphy that the clog be a semi-formal. It was also decided by the majority vote of the class to hold the event on this side of the bay in spite of the best efforts of the loyal San Franciscans.

Interclass Baseball Should Be Started

With interclass football past it is fitting that Saint Mary's, writer of baseball history, should turn its attention to the "great American game." Baseball is one of the most important of collegiate sports, and it is especially important to Saint Mary's, where the Phoenix has dominated the collegiate baseball circles for many years. Throughout the country Saint Mary's is recognized as the cradle of major league ball talent.

Interclass Football Last Semester

The success of the interclass football battle that was waged last semester should act as an incentive for intramural athletics. The need of such an organization is apparent, and the situation at Saint Mary's offers several possibilities for interclass athletic schedules.

Several Schedules Possible

Aside from the regular line of interclass activities there might be a schedule of athletic competition arranged between the Cliff Dwellers and the Day Dodgers. A faculty team could be organized, led, for instance, by Brother Virgil, sterling athlete of the Brotherhood. Such schedules could not but meet with favor on all sides. The classes are willing and only await the leadership that will pave the way to intramural sports.

Class Spirit Needed

It is obvious on every hand that class spirit is lacking around the College. An athletic program would promote this spirit, and if for no other reason this would make it worth while.

Annual Staff Starts On Advertising Work

Readers of The Collegian will notice that every other week there is inserted a subscription blank for the 1929 Gael Annual. This convenience has been devised so that students unable to pay the whole price now might nevertheless reserve a copy. If you can pay the $3.50 now, do so, of course; don't wait until the end of March, when other affairs will be attracting your time and money. Your subscription submitted now will assure your order personal attention later.

The subscription slips, for part or full payment, will be receied fvrom now until the time of publication by John Fitzgerald, circulation manager, or at the Gael office in the Science building.

New Ad Manager

Norval King, the editor of the Gael announces, is the new advertising manager of the annual, succeeding William Hayes, recently elected business manager. "Norv" is a junior, registered from Berkeley. He has always shown a lively interest in class affairs and his well-known business acumen perfectly qualifies him for his new position. Norval attended the university at Berkeley during the fall semester: but he couldn't become acclimated. Anyhow, he's back at Saint Mary's again—and his ability couldn't be overlooked when important work had to be done.

Debaters' Club Holds First Meet of Year

The first meeting of the Saint Mary's Debating Society was held on Monday, January 21, and though but a small organization the club's fervor and enthusiasm showed a promising start for the new year.

Comprised solely of lower division men under the able guidance of Harry Bertain, the argumentative representatives have laid plans for a series of debates during the coming semester. The first is to be held next week between the sophomores and freshmen. The question has not been decided upon as yet, but the debate will be held in the evening before the resident students so that the rest of the school will be able to tell the merits of the organization.

Previous to Lent a debate will be held with the lower-division men of California and our boys are bound to show the followers of the university that we can hold our own with them academically as well as athletically.

Joe Connolly and "Red" McDonald, the two young men that are aspiring for the position left vacant by the late Tex Rickard, wish to announce that their first undertaking will be a dance to be held at Wilkins Hall, at Haste and Dana, Berkeley.

The boys say that it will surpass all affairs held this year and that all the boys from school will be there. Come and make whoopee!

Freshman Basketball Team Beats Heald's

Although handicapped by lack of gymnasium facilities, the freshman basketball squad has made a splendid showing this season. Continuing their list of victories the frosh hung the crepe on Heald's Business College of Oakland to the tune of 22 to 14.

Game Interesting

Though no match for the young Gaels, frequent substitutions by Coach Simas made the game interesting to watch. The game served as a test to the frosh hoopsters, and Simas was constantly trying out different combinations throughout the contest.

Baseball Diamond Being Prepared for This Season

With baseball practice under way, plans to have a baseball diamond ready by next week are being rushed. The baseball field will be situated in the football stadium, and will be there temporarily, later to be moved to the vacant ground next to the West Dormitory.

A car load of sand will be used to put the infield in shape, and on completion the infield will be one of the best on the coast. The outfield will be covered with turf, and there will be plenty of room for the outfielders to roam. Home plate will be situated in the southeast corner of the field.

Holy Names Convent Give "Thank You" Dance

The Women's City Club of Oakland was the very suitable scene of the Thank-you dance given by the College of Holy Names Freshmen, and the young ladies must be congratulated for the splendid fashion in which their dance was conducted.

Many Saint Mary's men had the privilege of having invitations tendered to them and all of them so honored spent a very pleasant evening. It is with great anticipation that these men are awaiting the next social function to be given under Saint Mary's auspices so they can extend some Saint Mary's hospitality

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WITH THE AUTHORS

By William Johnston

Dr. Johnson wandered into the fish market of Billingsgate, and there chancing to arouse the tember of a fishwife was made the object of a verbal attack. "Madam," he replied, "you are a parallelapipedon." And the woman was silenced, feeling herself in the presence of a master of invective.

For every two novels published for the first time in Great Britain during 1928 three older ones were reprinted. This discovery, which we owe to the book production census compiled by the Publishers' Circular, has set the Daily Telegraph moralizing. It remarks that biographies are becoming as entertaining as the older works of fiction, while novels are becoming as portentously dull and long-winded as the older forms of biography.

"A great number of modern novelists," it says, "are no more than thinly disguised autobiographies of uninteresting nonentities suffering from unpleasant complexes, while the outstanding biograpihes of 1928 have been genuine and permanent contributions to literature, impregnated with wit, humor, knowledge and sympathy, four qualities in which our psychoanalytic novelists are sadly lacking. Can it be that our biographers have been studying Jane Austen while the novelists have been losing themselves in Freud?"

The same paper comments also on the decreases reported in new poetry, which it compares with the Victorian days, somewhat regretfully, when the poets could make a living out of their poems.

The census figures show a total output of 14,399 new publications, made up of 10,342 new boows and 3787 new editions. This is an increase over 1927 of 278 new books and 311 new editions. The principal increases are in fiction, technology, biography, juvenile literature and sociology, while the decreases are in poetry and drama, medicine, science and religion. Fiction, new, reprinted and translated, is responsible for nearly one-fourth of the total number of new publications. There was a definite fall publishing season, as usual, with its peak in October, but it is noted that the spring season is nowadays flattening out into a more even production during the seven months of the year, and that June and July are coming into greater prominence as publishing months, largely owing to the increasing demand for recreational literature. Certain types of books still tend to form "clots" in the publishing year. Juvenile books are especially active around July; books on the fine arts gravitate toward the late fall, and fiction becomes increasingly clamant in March, June, July and October. The Publishers' Circular, while admitting that these periods of concentrated effort seem to be justified to some extent by results, expresses a doubt whether such a policy is altogether wise. The money available for book buying, it reminds us, has no general tendency to form similar accumulations, but is spread out much more evenly over the year.

Fanny Burney's stepmother found her in the attic surreptitiously writing. "I couldn't help it, mother. I'd much rather do this than practice on the harpsichord." "But music is a polite accomplishment, my dear, whereas scribbling is quite the reverse."

Benedetto Croce is a calm and systematic worker. He works but four hours daily in his beautiful library. He performs his work methodically and intelligently eyerv day of the week. This explains how, at a little over 60 years of age, he has already published about sixty volumes of philosophy, literature, critiques and history, without mentioning his numerous articles, recensions and polemics. During the last few years he has been engaged particularly with the study of history, concerning which he possesses a most unusual cultural preparation. He is thus furnishing us with a practical example of the application of his idealistic philosophy to the study of history. According to the theories of Croce, the value of history is not in its being a record fo men and events, but in its revelation of the progress of thought and the evolution of the spiritual and moral life of mankind. Men and events have no value in themselves, but only in as much as they explain and expound idealistic movements of an epoch of people.

Croce's precious works have not met with enthusiastic response in the cultural world because they treat of limited and local subjects. His latest work, just published, "History of Italy from 1871-1915," will, however, awaken widespread interest. (G. Latzera and Bari, Editors, price 25 lire.) This is the first Italian book which intends to give a historic exposition of the life of the Italian nation. Last year Gioacchino Volpe, one of the ablest tIalian historians, who has more than any one else assimilated the idealistic concepts of Croce, published an outline of modern Italian history, "Italy on the March," but, as the author himself admitted at the time, it could not be considered as an exhaustive and complete historic treatise.

It took a philosopher to face the problem of men, events and changes not yet so far removed into the past as to permit dispassionate consideration on the part of contemporaries. This proximity of history which links the passions, sympathies and affections of readers to their recent past has certainly had a strong influence on the sensibilities of political critics who have read Croce's book.

Arnold Bennett objects to authors writing introductions to the books of other living authors. A book, he says, should not be led into a ring like a performing horse at a circus.—Cardinal Bourne has selected the writers and subjects for "The Centenary of Catholic Emancipation: A Permanent Record of the Position and Progress of the Catholic Church Since 1828." (Longmans.) G. K. Chesterton is one of the contributors.—The best seller in Manchester, England, has been said to be Galsworthy's "Swan Song."

GREEN SHIRT

(Continued from page one)

the court for the players, but it does not conflict with the colored jerseys worn by Saint Mary's opponents. This should put to rest the various reports circulating that the Athletic Board is contemplating a change in the basketball uniform."

Difficulties at Game

After the game with California at the Oakland auditorium, various comments were made by the spectators concerning the new color. Those who were unfortunate enough to have to sit in the balcony could hardly distinguish the numbers of the Saint Mary's players.

Once the corn was in the shock; now the shock is in the corn.

:: BOOK REVIEWS ::

Spenser in Ireland, by Pauline Henley. New York: Longmans, Green and Co., Ltd. 1928.

The man who was able to produce that ethereal masterpiece, the "Faerie Queen," and who could almost in the same breath write such an apparently blood-thirsting paper as the "View of the Present State of Ireland," must always remain somewhat of a mystery to us. Was he a hypocrite, as some would have us believe; or did he in reality disdain the obsequesies which he rendered to his virgin queen and her regime but did so merely because it meant not only his own material advancement but that of those dear to him? These are questions that immediately come to our mind when we think of Edmund Spenser.

Neither of these two explanations, however, will suffice, according to Pauline Henley, the authoress of a recent publication having to do with Spenser's connection with Ireland, entitled "Spenser in Ireland." Rather, she thinks that the shortcomings of this otherwise gifted man were the result of his failure to grasp that universality of spirit and largeness of outlook that is the true artist's unfailing possession. In other words, Edmund Spenser made the mistake of allowing, if you will, the foibles and fancies of his day to take hold of him and thus, for the worse, became associated with ideas and principles which, however veiled they may have been in his day, are to us, now that we can view them in the clear light of time, decidedly unworthy.

The writer herself sums up her opinion of the matter when she says:

"May it not be that the Poet in one of his softer moods was dreaming of a peace that he typifies under the allegory of Serena . . . She tries to establish friendly relations between the Salvage Man, or the ordinary people of Ireland, and Timias and Arthur, representative of the English Government in Ireland.

"But if Spenser the Poet had any such ideas, they were cast aside by Spenser the Politician, when on going over to England to publish this second part of his poem he again found himself in the atmosphere of imperialism and becoming the opportunist once more, he presented to the Queen his 'View of the Present State of Ireland'."

However, let us not think from the above that "Spenser of Ireland" is merely a digression on the motives and causes underlying Spenser's peculiar conduct. No, for the author in a scholarly manner and with an exactness gleaned from a perusal of a great number of primary sources, reviews every phase of the Poet's life in Ireland from the time that he first went there as secretary to Lord Grey to the instance of his flight in the Rebellion of 1589.

Of the influence of the Irish land upon the poet and his works, Miss Henley says:

> " . . . it is evident that the whole circumstances of his Irish career must have influenced his work. Much of its (the "Faerie Queen") wealth of imagery would undoubtedly be lacking, many of its dramatic incidents would never have occurred, and it would have become more unreal and unconvincing."

(This had he not lived in Ireland.)

- - DRAMA - -

"The Beggar's Opera" at the Curran

By Edward Smiddy

Perhaps no finer reproduction of an early eighteenth century musical play can be found at present than "The Beggar's Opera" by Thomas Gay, which is playing a limited engagement at the Curran theatre. Students of the drama will do well to see this because a fine contrast can be drawn between this 200-year-old opus and a modern play. The changes and different trends of technique are most interesting.

The plot, although very realistic even for this age, revolves around a certain brigand, Macheath, who marries Polly Peachum. Polly's parents, the keepers of an inn, refuse to believe that Macheath married their daughter and prepare to have him captured. Polly helps Macheath escape. He goes to an inn where he is again betrayed by one of his lovers. Again he escapes; and again he is taken and sentenced to be hanged. At this point the beggar who appears in the prologue interrupts the action of the play. An argument ensues and he is prevailed upon to make the opera end happily. So, Macheath is given a reprieve and makes known that Polly is his real wife.

The musical score is typical of the period—short, pleasant, light and tuneful. The voices are very pleasing in the entire company, and the chorus work is well done.

Lena Maitland, as Mrs. Peachum, played her role to perfection and proved herself a mistress of comedy. Clive Carey played Macheath with all the gusto accompanying the part, plus an enjoyable singing voice. Sylvia Nelia, as Polly, was very dainty and coy, but she lacked facial expression. Lucy Lockit, played by Beatrice Marson, was well done. The remainder of the cast was quite capable of the parts assigned them. The use of a prologue and epilogue is something that is seldom seen in the plays of today.

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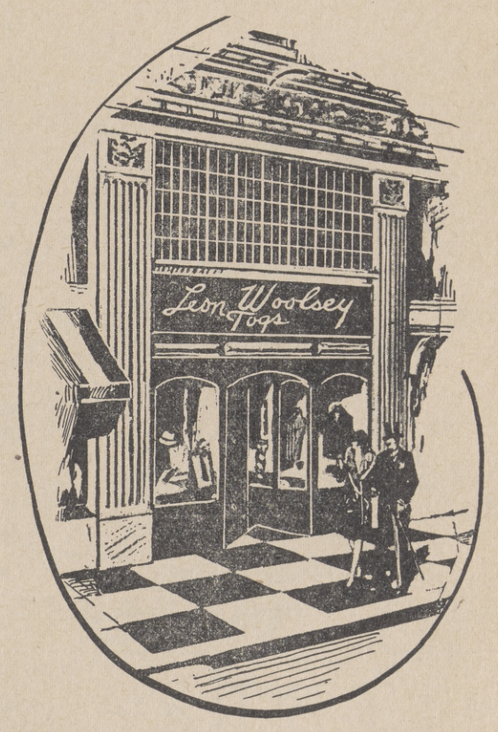

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EDITORIALS

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

What has become of the interclass and interhall baseball schedule, concerning which we heard so much last semester? Now that the season has arrived, the intramural athletic program has betaken itself to other parts. Presumably the athletic office should take charge of the situation, but no word has been forthcoming from that quarter.

It is unnecessary to dwell upon the desirability of organized intramural sports. Their value is fairly well apparent. Despite this very obvious fact, nothing has been done or is being done, so far as we know, to remedy the situation. Last semester the upperclassmen made a creditable showing in interclass football without any assistance from the athletic department of the College. Every detail of organizing teams and scheduling practice was voluntary. The effort was successful, but because of its voluntary nature could not have any permanence.

There is no excuse for lack of organized intramural sports on the new campus save that of indifference upon the part of those who should organize and encourage it.

FOR BETTER UNDERSTANDING

Since the athletic office is a subject of discussion, it might be well to clear up another matter that has attracted much comment ever since the beginning of the football season. Misunderstanding between the athletic office and the student body has existed, and it would be foolish to deny it. Furthermore, the state of affairs is becoming more and more involved, and something must be done, particularly to check serious defections in school spirit which have been caused by this lack of understanding.

To the individual student the whole difficulty seems to have been occasioned by the independent and self-sufficient operation of the athletic department. Its activities have been wholly private and in many cases unannounced; consequently it has taken steps at times that have aroused criticism on the campus solely because it has not been in contact with the student body.

Frequently statements and publicity of various sorts emanating from the athletic office have been released to local newspapers before the slightest knowledge of them has been given the student body. The impression instantly created is that the athletic program of the school is drawn up to please the public—let the student body concern itself with other affairs.

In a recent instance a tradition was suddenly violated in the adoption of an unrecognized color combination in basketball uniforms without even so much as a simple announcement. After the thing had been done, various excuses were made to the effect that red and blue were not traditional colors!

If we of the student body have an obligation towards the support of athletics, then certainly the department to which the management of athletics has been given has equal reciprocal abligations towards us.

For the sake of better understanding and harmony, let those obligations be recognized.

A PROGRESSIVE MEASURE

At the annual regional meeting of Alumni Secretaries, held in Los Angeles recently, Saint Mary's was selected as the site for the convention next year. This is a forward step in the history of the College and should mean a great deal to those interested in the future of the institution.

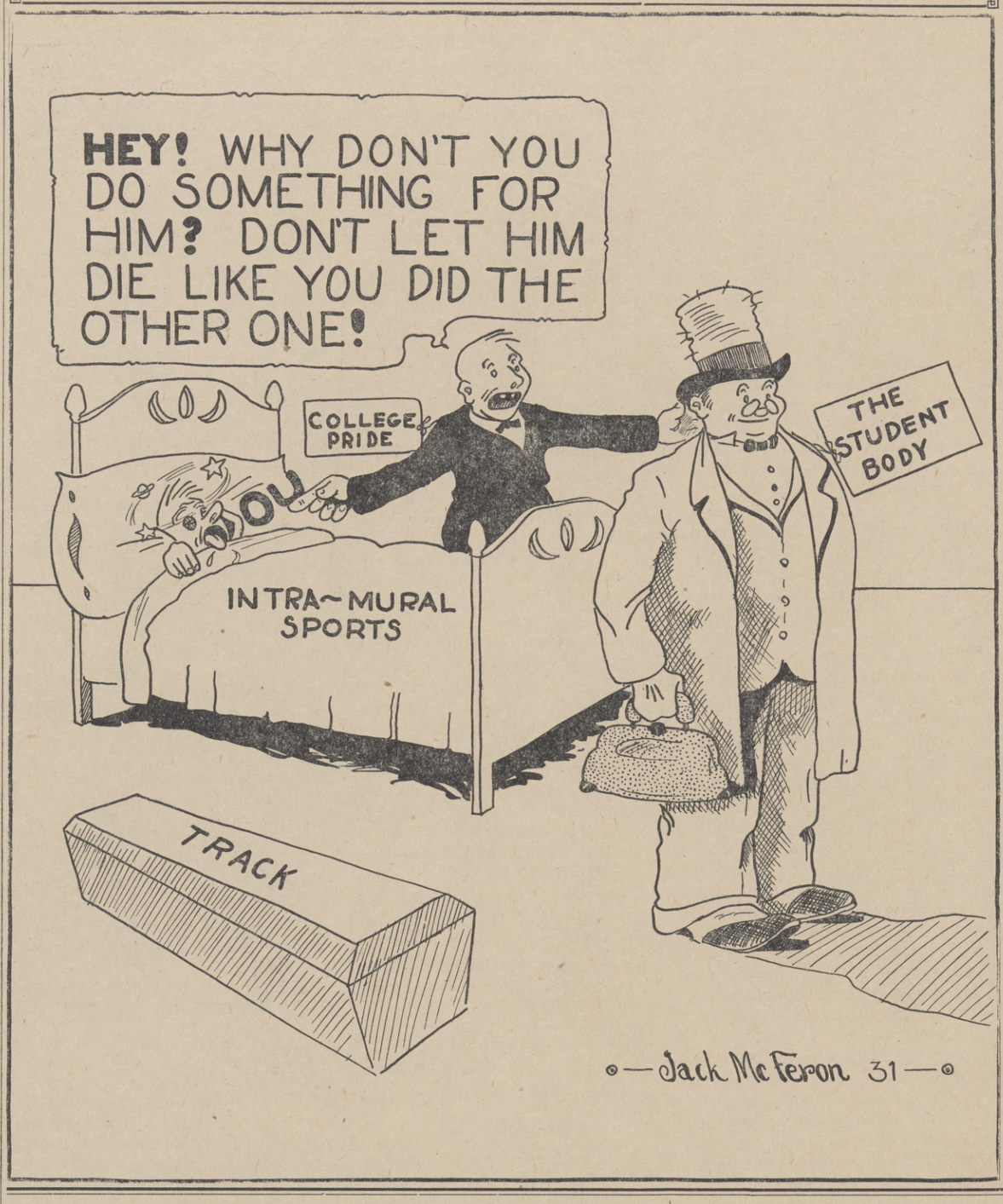
Mr. McKee, secretary of the National Alumni Association, was a visitor at the College the early part of this week. He was impressed with the new buildings, and expressed satisfaction over the selection of the convention.

The Alumni of Saint Mary's is to be congratulated for seizing this opportunity to show its interest as a body in seeking coordination with other like groups. Also, if this interest is prolonged there will be a closer bond between the Alumni and the College. If such cooperation is achieved, membership in the Alumni will be looked forward to with greater interest by the present students.

The Campus Comment column has some interesting suggestions for a name to supplant Gaels. However, we haven't heard from the Celtic brethren yet.

All we have to do to stop the argument is to forget about Bettencourt, Frankian, Kasper and some other prominent "Gaels."

SOME FIRST AID NECESSARY


HEY! WHY DON'T YOU DO SOMETHING FOR HIM? DON'T LET HIM DIE LIKE YOU DID THE OTHER ONE!
COLLEGE PRIDE
THE STUDENT BODY
INTRA-MURAL SPORTS
TRACK
Jack McFeron 31

Campus Comment

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Editor The Collegian:

Is Saint Mary's a college or a high school? It seems a good example of the latter. Saint Mary's is a ship of students without pilot or steering wheel. What has happened to our student body officers? A showdown is absolutely necessary—either the student body has some say in the affairs of the College or it hasn't. We demand our rights, and those rights must be stated in good, plain English. We want to know who is running this school; we should be, but things seem otherwise.

A good example of the power of the student body is exemplified in our nickname, "Gaels." Last year we were named the Gaels by a newspaper man. The student body decided against the name, but this year all our teams are called Gaels, and the basketball jerseys even have the name written on them. Why should we be called Gaels? Are we all Irish? We ARE NOT, and also are not so sorry we aren't. We might just as well be called the Walloping Wops, Plunging Portuguese or Ramblin' Russians—any one of which is just as appropriate as Gaels.

There are many other things that could be mentioned and will be mentioned either in this paper or in student body meetings. The time is at hand; our honor and the success of the College depend upon the results. We are not revolutionists, but merely some well-meaning students who want to see a better Saint Mary's College. Are we going to win out? You bet we are!

January 23. JACK BILL.

Success is merely a matter of buying experience and selling it at a profit.

Although the wets know that they have to die some time, they draw the line at a watery grave.

Poet's Corner

I never heard a cough drop
Nor trod upon a train;
I never saw a coal scuttle
Nor felt a window pane.
In thinking of your kisses
I shall forget the pain
Of parting for a little while—
Shall we not meet again?
(Such tenderness!)

The Chaplain's Corner

By Father Bowling, C. S. P.

Progress

It is a pleasure to see the number of men who are coming each evening at 9 o'clock in the Center Hall Chapel for Benediction. The devotions last just ten minutes, and the students feel that these ten minutes are well spent. Holy Mass is offered every morning in the same Chapel at 9:30, with the exception of the Student Body Mass days. The number of daily Communions is also increasing.

Our Wild Generation

We hear so much these days about the wildness of our younger generation, about their going straight to the infernal regions, without even the saving grace of a detour, that it is a relief to turn aside from the gloomy picture of the pessimists and note a few encouraging signs given us by those who, while not under the illusion that our young men are all canonized saints, still hesitate to classify them as full-fledged clients of Satan.

Notre Dame

The annual religious survey of Notre Dame University shows that for the fall term of ninety-two days just ended, there was an average of 1381 daily Communions. This means that about one-half of the resident Catholics and 150 of the non-resident students received Holy Communion every morning. When we consider that this devotion is quite optional, and requires sacrifice, it is remarkable.

What the College Men Say

Through a series of questionnaires, which are not signed, and are confidential, as far as the authorship of the writers is concerned, the students have themselves quite frankly expressed the wonderful help they have received from daily Communion. Their views have been published in small pamphlets and have received much attention from colleges throughout the country. The following are a few quotations from the pamphlets:

"I came to Notre Dame with a resolution that I would not go home without accomplishing something worth while. I relied on daily Communion. Thus far I have passed in my classes and am happier in other ways than I ever was at home, when I went to Communion about once a month."

"Before coming here I did not realize that sin could be dreaded so much and that so many benefits could be received through daily Communion. It has made me watch my thoughts and actions carefully. I have not all the fervor I would like to have when I am receiving, but I hope that this will come."

"I have found frequent Communion to be a stimulator; that is, it encourages me to study, besides making my mind clear and ready to grasp easily matters that would otherwise pass over my head. It has made me more devout and respectful in my attitude towards the Church, the sacraments, and the priests."

"Daily Communion has partially rid me of an indolent attitude. I have learned to sacrifice sleep and pleasure in order to receive Holy Communion. It has made me see life from a different point of view; that Our Lord is ever watchful of His children, to help them to be good on earth so that they may be happy with Him in Eternity."

"Frequent Communion has made me feel ready to die at any time."

"Sometimes I have thought that frequent Communion has lessened my sincerity, but in the end I find that it has strengthened me against temptation."

"It makes me think of death and what follows death."

"It has strengthened me in every way. I feel that defeat is impossible if one has Christ with him."

"Frequent Communion strengthens me and quiets a strong tendency of mine to commit sins of impurity. It helps me to see the attitude which a Catholic young man must assume towards the rather unusual amusements of the day."

"I consider it therefore indispensible against the temptations which would otherwise find my pride, or vanity, an easy victim."

"Frequent Communion has made me a daily communicant."

"I think it is the direct cause of my desisting from language that is not very choice."

WILL RIDINGS' WHOOPEE COLUMN

WHY READ IT?

ROLE SEES ALL!

Be careful of what you are doing. O. Cinnamon Role, our correspondent at large, is especially delegated to get the news. Our column fears no one. We tell the truth, or as much of it as we can get by with.

—WC—

O. Cinnamon Role, our reporter, has decided to stop his serial on "How to Be a Professor." Role states that if he tells any more he may face suit in court, as too many professors will recognize what he is writing about, if anything.

—WC—

"How did you like Betty's wedding?"

"Oh, it was all right for a starter."

—WC—

With the Limelighters

It is remarkable how much anyone can accomplish by the steady habit of reading.—John Erskine.

—WC—

There is no prejudice in my heart, God knows.—Rev. John Roach Straton.

—WC—

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—WC—

We remember when an effort to keep straight used to be a moral struggle instead of a diet. It's a topsy-turvy age. See how the sins of the children are being visited upon the fathers. In court the other day a wife told the judge that her hubby drank whiskey like water. What other kind could he buy nowadays?

—WC—

Football playing in vacant lots must stop.—Mayor John Davie (Oakland).

—WC—

Anyhow, Mrs. Willebrandt isn't the only one who believes in keeping on the straight and narrow-minded path.

—WC—

To the Girls

Whenever you want to throw a party and haven't any fellows, just phone any haberdasher. They furnish men.

—WC—

A JOKE

The visit of the Kansas basketball team to this region reminds me of a joke I heard in Buffalo in 1910. It seems that one chorus girl said to another: "How did you find your new Harvard friend?" The other girl wittly retorted, "Oh, I just unbuttoned his coonskin coat and there he was." And then there is the one—oh, never mind.

—WC—

"Dang nab this Indian underwear," said Hiram, "it's always creeping up on me."

—WC—

Matrimony and College are two institutions that make strange roommates.